

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Kindly cancel Claims 2, 3, and 6, and amend Claims 1, 13, 20 and 27 as follows.

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

### **LISTING OF CLAIMS**

1. (Currently Amended) A tool storage container comprising:

a base member;

a cover coupled with said base member;

a tool receiving member in said base said tool receiving member defining

an outline of the tool to be received in said tool receiving member; and

an opening in said cover, said opening having a shape corresponding to  
and following the outline of a tool for enabling viewing of [[a]] the tool to be positioned in  
said base with a desired size that prohibits removal of the tool through the cover when  
the cover and base are coupled together and a transparent window covering said  
opening and a mechanism in said base for enabling said base to be mounted on a  
vertical surface with said cover pivotable with respect to said base.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 1 further comprising fingers mounted on said base for maintaining a tool in said tool receiving member.

5. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 4 wherein said finger being pivotal.

6. (Cancelled)

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a 7. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 1 wherein said base includes a storage area.

8. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 1 wherein said cover includes a storage area.

9. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 7 wherein said cover includes a storage area.

10. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 8 wherein said storage area includes a cover.

11. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 8 wherein said cover includes a second storage area, said second storage area pivotable with respect to said cover.

12. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 7 wherein a finger is positioned adjacent said storage area for maintaining an item in said storage area.

13. (Currently Amended) A power tool storage container comprising:

a base, said base including a power tool receiving member defining an outline of the power tool to be received in said power tool receiving member;

a cover pivotally coupled with said base; and

a finger member adjacent said power tool receiving member, said finger member being movable between a first and a second position, in one of said first or second positions, said finger maintaining a power tool in said power tool receiving member and in said other first or second position, said finger enabling removal of the tool from said tool receiving member.

14. (Original) The power tool storage container according to Claim 1 wherein said base includes a battery storage area.

15. (Original) The power tool storage container according to Claim 14 wherein a second finger member being adjacent said battery storage area.

16. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 13 wherein said base is adapted to be mounted on a vertical surface with said cover pivotable with respect to said base.

17. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 13 wherein said cover includes a storage area.

18. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 17 wherein said cover includes a cover on said storage area.

19. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 17 wherein said cover includes a second storage area, said second storage area pivotable with respect to said cover.

20. (Currently Amended) A tool storage container comprising:  
a base, said base including a tool receiving member defining an outline of the tool to be received in said tool receiving member;  
a cover, said cover pivotally coupled with said base; and  
a storage area on said cover, said storage area including a pivotal cover movable between a covering and non-covering position.

21. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 20 wherein said base is adapted to be mounted on a vertical surface with said cover pivotable with respect to said base.

22. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 20 wherein said cover includes a second storage area, said second storage area pivotable with respect to said cover.

23. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 20 further comprising fingers mounted on said base for maintaining a tool in said tool receiving member.

24. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 23 wherein said finger being pivotal.

25. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 20 wherein said base includes a storage area.

26. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 25 wherein a finger is positioned adjacent said storage area for maintaining an item in said storage area.

27. (Currently Amended) A tool storage container comprising:

- a base, said base including a tool receiving member,
- a cover pivotally coupled with said base; and
- a storage ledge pivotally coupled with said cover, said storage ledge pivoting between a first position wherein said ledge is substantially parallel to said cover in a non-tool retaining position, to a second position wherein said ledge is substantially

perpendicular to said cover in a tool retaining position where tools pass through said ledge and are maintained perpendicular to said ledge.

28. (Original) The storage container according to Claim 27 wherein said ledge included members for retaining tools on said ledge.

29. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 27 wherein said base is adapted to be mounted on a vertical surface with said cover pivotable with respect to said base.

30. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 27 further comprising fingers mounted on said base for maintaining a tool in said tool receiving member.

31. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 27 wherein said base includes a storage area.

32. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 27 wherein said cover includes a storage area.

33. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 32 wherein said cover includes a cover on said storage area.

34. (Original) The tool storage container according to Claim 32 wherein a finger is positioned adjacent said storage area for maintaining an item in said storage area.

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